

Doctor of Laws, honoris causa, February 12th, 1992

Attest

Mr. Treasurer --

It is my pleasant duty to present to you the Honourable Kim Campbell, Minister of Justice and Attorney General for Canada, and request that you confer upon her the degree of Doctor of Laws honoris causa.

As Attorney General she plays a critical role in the administration of justice and the legal system in Canada and she brings to her task a balanced and sensitive judgment which has assisted her in accommodating and reconciling competing deeply held views and values about fundamental aspects of our laws and judicial system. Cognizant of her responsibilities she has been alert to the need for law reform in areas of profound concern to the public.

As the first woman to hold the office of Attorney General for Canada she has brought a new perspective to that high office, a perspective deepened by her experience as a scholar and university professor and her experience in politics at all levels of government. She has applied herself with dedication and diligence to meeting the challenges of the office and I request, Treasurer, that you confer upon her the degree of Doctor of Laws honoris causa.